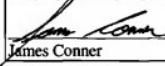


PATENTS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of) CUSTOMER NO. 37003
Abderrhamane Ounadjela)
Application No.: 10/695,078) Confirmation No. 4157
Filing Date: October 28, 2003) Group: 2837
Title: BOREHOLE ACOUSTIC SOURCE) Examiner: Phillips, Forrest M.
) Docket N°: 60.1543

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being electronically filed
with the US Patent Office on March 14, 2007.


James Conner

March 14, 2007
Date

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

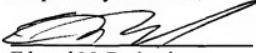
Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time of three months, from December 14, 2006 to March 14, 2007, to respond to the Official Action dated September 14, 2006. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is attached.

Please charge the two-month extension fee of **\$1,020.00** to Deposit Account No. **19-0615**. Charge any additional fee required, or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. **19-0615**.

Respectfully submitted,


Edward M. Bushard
Registration No. 48,974

SCHLUMBERGER-DOLL RESEARCH
Intellectual Property Law Department
P.O. Box 425045
Cambridge, MA 02142
Phone: (617) 768-2271
Fax: (617) 768-2401
Date: March 14, 2007